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CITY AND VICINITY.

Gradually the days begin to lengthen.

A year ago we had a few days of good skating.

The post office will be open on New Years day from 7 to 10 a. m., and 2 to 3 o'clock p. m.

Monday will be the last day for paying taxes without the additional five per cent collection fee.

Probably in no other class of property have prices fallen so tremendously in the past two years as in horse-flesh.

Black lake is covered with a smooth coating of ice. If the present cold snap continues there will be fine sport ahead.

We have been reliably informed that the item in regard to Rev. S. M. Zwemer being on his way home from Arabia is incorrect.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. of New York has secured the services of Mr. J. C. Holmes to act as soliciting agent in this city. John says the people have been fairly clamoring for his appointment.

George Washington was the victim of merciless political attacks when he was president. Gen. Gates once alluded to him as that "dark, designing, sordid, ambitious, vain, proud, arrogant, and vindictive knave." Political denunciations seem to have grown decidedly tame in these later years.

Simon Pokagon, chief of the Pottawatomie tribe, living near Hartford, has filed an application for the guardianship over about forty minors of the tribe, in view to properly care for their share of the money due them from Uncle Sam for lands, a part of which is now the site of Chicago. They expect \$139,000 to be divided among 260 persons.

From a copy of the *Advocate*, published at Escondido, Cal., Dec. 21, we clip the following: D. Bertsch of Holland, Mich., arrived with his family in Escondido, and has rented J. H. Sampson's store room where he will engage in the dry goods business. Mr. Bertsch's stock of goods has already arrived, and he is busily engaged in getting the room ready. He will have his stock on the shelves about the first of January, and will start in business with the new year. The family are at present occupying a part of Dr. Ingersoll's house, until he can build. He already has the plan for a fine residence drawn.

She had attended the "ambulance classes," and obtained the certificate of the medical faculty. The street accident she had earnestly prayed for took place. A man had broken his leg. She confiscated the walking-stick of a passer-by and broke it in three pieces for splints. She tore up her skirt for bandages. When all was completed she summoned a cab and took her patient to the hospital. "Who bandaged this limb so creditably?" inquired the surgeon. "I did," she blushing replied. "Well, it is most beautifully—most artistically done; but you have made, I find, one little mistake. You have bandaged the wrong leg."

Christmas night was the coldest of the season.

D. Morehouse of West Olive lost his house by fire Thursday morning of last week.

Dr. Gilmore will have his dental parlors in the new Vaupell building, when finished.

E. P. Ferry, formerly of Grand Haven, is improving in health, and at present rusticiating in Honolulu.

Annual pew renting in Hope church on Thursday evening, Jan. 3. Election of church officers on the evening previous.

Two weeks more of "removal sale prices" at C. L. Streng & Son's. On Jan. 15 they will move into their new quarters.

The dirt excavated for the new block of F. C. Hall is used to fill in the low lots recently purchased by Dr. Wetmore, west Eighth street.

In Georgia they have again had a war between the races, with the usual results—several negroes killed and not a single white man arrested.

There is a goat in the village of Homer that is becoming quite well known among the secret societies in that and neighboring villages. The animal is rented out by the evening to lodges who have work in this line.

The annual gathering of the "Michigan Knights of the Grip" at Grand Rapids, Wednesday evening, was attended by the following parties from this city: Messrs. and Mesdames J. P. Oggel, L. C. Bradford, and F. L. Souter.

Married at the home of the bride's brother, Jacob R. Schepers, in Fillmore, on the evening of Christmas day, Benjamin Wolters and Miss Mary Schepers. Rev. H. G. Birchby officiated. The new couple will make this city their home.

Little Boy—"What's the difference between an advanced woman and any other woman?"

Little Girl—"Why, don't you know? An ordinary woman doesn't let her husband know that she is bossin' him, but an advanced woman does."

The "Young Men's Era," the organ of the Y. M. C. A. in the United States, in its "Present Problem" department, makes favorable mention of the introduction of the Monday-Night meetings for the discussion of economic questions by the Y. M. C. A. of this city.

Gen. Alger again remembered his pets on Christmas. Over 1,000 news-boys of Detroit, each received a new overcoat, and the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids and the Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian were each forwarded a check of \$150 for an elaborate Christmas spread.

R. N. DeMerell the past week has furnished and put up two fine monuments on Pilgrim Home cemetery—one on the family plot of the late Derk Te Roller, of New Hampshire granite, sarcophagus style, and the other, an obelisk, in memory of the late Hermanus Doesburg and his wife Cornelia, nee Schaap.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 3, Dr. Amos Barlow, superintendent of the Home for neglected children at St. Joseph, will be in Holland and must our citizens at the Y. W. C. A. address in the interest of that institution and the cause it represents. The Juvenile branch of the Y. W. C. A. will contribute towards the enjoyment of the evening by a short program. All are invited.

Says the *Saugatuck Commercial*: The rapidly growing city of Holland is proving quite a drain on neighboring towns, more so, perhaps, as regards Allegan than any other town. From this it would seem that railroads are not the all-important factor in the prosperity of a town. Allegan has three railroads and an excellent water power, but commercially speaking can't be coaxed into a center, while Holland with but one railroad and no water power is going down the home stretch of prosperity with its tail over the dashboard.

I. Marsille and C. K. Hoyt, members-elect of the incoming legislature, were in Zeeland Monday to confer with the good people there in regard to the proposed extension of the corporate limits of the village, and if possible to reach an amicable understanding. The result of the conference we learn was satisfactory, and there will be no opposition to the extension east up to and including the residence of Sikke Brouwers, south embracing Pyle & Buwalda's addition, west up to the farm of O. De Koster and north up to and including the farm of C. Krothof.

Some of the furniture factories have closed for the holidays.

The next Y. M. C. A. economic discussion will be held Monday evening, Jan. 7.

The Holland furniture factory is making large shipments of their manufactured goods to points in Pennsylvania.

List of letters advertised for the week ending Dec. 27, '94, at the Holland post office: G. F. Aheln, S. W. Sherman.

G. J. VAN DUREN, P. M.

Representative Hoyt has come to the conclusion that Mr. Burrows is the first choice of a majority of his constituents for U. S. senator. Mr. Marsille will leave here for Lansing unpledged.

If you have an out of town friend to whom you desire to make a New Years present by which he will remember you every week in the year, why not order the *News* to be sent to him regular. It is not expensive.

The Ladies' Chorus of the Y. W. C. A. will resume their practice with Mr. Campbell, next Wednesday evening, in the parlors of the association. The cantata will be rendered Jan. 23rd. For particulars see next week's issue of the *News*.

The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. will give their numerous friends a New Years reception at Bergen Hall on Tuesday afternoon. The rooms will be open from 2 to 5 o'clock p. m. Refreshments and music will be served. Everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ream, east Ninth street, were not forgotten on Christmas. They left in the morning to spend the day with relatives, a few miles from the city, when Santa-Claus drove by and presented the astonished parents with a pair of twin girls. All well.

Messrs. Marsille, Post and McBride are sub-dividing parts of lots 9, 10 and 11, in Block A, into lots. They will open up Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets through from Land street east to Christina—the city limits. The Tasker house, which has so long guarded the east end of Thirteenth street, will be moved out of the way. In addition to platting and opening these streets the parties named will also grade and gravel them.

The Y. W. C. A. celebrated its tenth anniversary Thursday evening with a public entertainment given in their spacious rooms. Prof. Kollen opened with prayer and Supt. McLean delivered the main address. Remarks were also made by Profs. Kollen and Kleinhekel and J. C. Post. Prof. Nykerk and Dr. Gilmore and Mrs. Hummer and Mrs. Diekema each rendered a solo, with Miss Maude Squire as accompanist. The reports of the secretary Miss Mary Damson, and of the treasurer Miss Nellie Pfantstiel, were read and showed the association to be in a flourishing condition.

Among the several state institutions the School for the Blind, at Lansing, takes first rank. Blind children, residents of this state, are boarded and taught there free of charge. Any person knowing of a blind child or one so nearly blind as to be unable to learn in the public schools should encourage the parents or guardian to have such child sent to the school at Lansing. At the recent convention of the state board of correction and charities, held at Adrian, an exhibit was made of samples of cookies and biscuit, made by girls totally blind; also a hammock and various samples of needle work, and a book of raised point letter (Braille) which was stereotyped and printed at the school; and best of all, four of the children were there, two boys and two girls, who read from the books and the stereotypes with their fingers, played the piano, wrote Braille from the dictation, gave recitations, etc., arousing great interest in those who saw and heard them. They were there under the immediate care of Supt. Church and a lady teacher and remained through the entire convention.

The Ottawa Furniture factory is taking its annual invoice this week.

The Michigan Farmer claims that there are 50,000 bushels of potatoes still undug in Oceana county.

The Berlin fair next fall will be held at the usual time, the week following the West Michigan fair, at Grand Rapids.

There was an attendance of 170 at the Y. M. C. A. gospel meeting, Sunday afternoon. The leader for next Sunday is Rev. J. Van Houte.

N. B. Jones of Lansing, of the American Fire Insurance Co. of Philadelphia, was in the city Friday. The building of Slag-Smith notoriety was insured in this company.

The merchants of Holland are well satisfied with their holiday trade, especially those that availed themselves of the columns of the *News* as a medium.

Be sure to call at Bergen Hall on the afternoon of New Years day and have a cup of the excellent coffee always provided by the Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. on such occasions.

Miss Sixty (virtuously)—Well; I should just like to see a man try to kiss me good-by at the gate, that's all.

Miss Sixteen (mischievously)—So would I.

State Commissioner Sherwood has called for a report of the condition of all state banks at the close of business, Wednesday, Dec. 19. In another column will be found the report of the First State bank of this city. It makes the usual favorable and satisfactory showing.

Marine Items.

The Graham and Morton Transportation Co. are considering a scheme of putting a line of boats up and down the east shore of Lake Michigan next season.

The cabin on the stmr. Bon Ami, laid up at Saugatuck, will be extended the full length of the boat before the beginning of the next season.

The coaster Fitch, owned by Chas. Blink, arrived here Monday, from Whitehall, to lay up.

Every year steamboat travel between West Michigan ports and Chicago, Milwaukee and other cities increases. Fruit, forestry and salt products furnish a large and growing business.

Church Items.

A movement is on foot to erect a chapel on the North side of Black Lake, near the Van Dyk store. Several young men, with C. M. Steffens at the head, are interesting themselves in this movement.

Theol. Student C. M. Steffens is spending his vacation in Rochester, N. Y. He will preach there in the Second Ref. church three Sundays.

The classis of Holland met in special session in this city, Thursday, for the examination of Rev. J. W. Root.

The First Ref. church of Grand Rapids has elected Herman Toren superintendent to succeed J. A. S. Verdie, who has held the office for several years but declined a re-election; assistant supt., Mrs. Frank Dyk; secretary, Anthonie Pauels; treasurer, Miss Ella Van Leeuwen; chorister, John Van der Sluis; organist, Mrs. A. Pauels; librarian, John Vos; assistants, Martin Louwerse and John Boer.

In Memoriam.

WHEREAS God has taken from our midst a respected and true friend and brother, GERRIT VAN DEN BELTZ, who through his consistent christian life was always ready in carrying the burden and troubles of others; and while we recognize that our loss is his eternal gain, we shall not forget his many kind deed and earnest words of encouragement; therefore

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and condolence in their sorrow; and that we send to them and to the city papers a copy of these resolutions.

VAN LENTE'S CHORAL.

Holland, Dec. 22, 1894.

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JOHN PESSINK,

City Bakery.

ONLY
TWO WEEKS MORE

—OF—

REMOVAL SALE PRICES!

JAN. 15th, 1895

We move into our new quarters in the Van der Veen block formerly occupied by D. Bertsch.

BUT BEFORE MOVING

We must clear up the remainder of winter goods such as Shawls, Chenille Curtains, Table Spreads, Flannels, Cloakings, Eiderdowns, Serges and Henriettas.

Saturday, Dec. 29

We will dispose of our entire line of Handkerchiefs.

25c and 35c Handkerchiefs for 19c
10c, 12 1-2c, 15c and 25c Handkerchiefs in like proportions.

Some of the goods are a trifle soiled having been used for decorating purposes—hence the great reduction.

Remember our Removal Sale lasts only until January 15th. Avail yourself of our unheard of bargains in the meantime.

G. L. STRENG & SON

SKATES :- FREE

WE WILL GIVE TO EVERY

BOY or GIRL

Bringing in TWO new subscribers for the Holland City News for one year, a pair of Club Skates. The subscription to the paper being ONE DOLLAR for one year for each subscriber.

Holland City News.
SATURDAY, DEC. 29, 1894.
Holland, Mich.

SOCIETIES.
K. O. T. M.
Orescent Tent, No. 98, meets in K. O. T. M. Hall at 7:30 p. m., on Monday night next. All its Knights are cordially invited to attend. Cheapest Life Insurance Order known. Full particulars given on application.
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McBRIDE, F. H., Attorney. Real Estate and Insurance. Office, McBRIDE's Block.
POST, J. C., Attorney and Counselor at Law. Real Estate and Collections. Office, Post's Block.
Banks.
FIRST STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dept. I. Cappon, President. Germ W. Motms, Cashier. Capital stock \$30,000.
HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK. Commercial and Savings Dept. J. Van Putten, Pres. C. Verschure, Cashier. Capital stock \$30,000.
Boots and Shoes.
HEROLD M., Dealer in Boots and Shoes, successor to E. Herold & Co.
Clothing.
BOSMAN BROTHERS. Merchant Tailors and Dealers in Ready Made. Gent's Furnishing Goods a Specialty.
Dry Goods and Groceries.
BOOT & KRAMER. Dealers in Dry Goods, Notions, Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc. Eighth Street.
VAN PUTTEN, G. & SONS, General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Groceries, Hats, and Caps, Flour, Feed, etc. River Street.
Drugs and Medicines.
DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Toilet Articles, Imported and Domestic Cigars. Eighth Street.
WALSH, HEBER, Druggist and Pharmacist; a full stock of goods pertaining to the business. City Drug Store, Eighth Street.
Hardware.
VAN OORT, J. B., General Hardware and Groceries. Repairing promptly attended to. Eighth Street.
Manufactories, Shops, Etc.
FRIEMAN, J., Wagon and Carriage Manufacturing and Blacksmith and Repair Shop. Dealer in Agricultural Implements. River St.
HUNTLEY, A., Practical Machinist, Mill and Engine Repairs a specialty. Shop on Seventh street, near River.
Meat Markets.
DEKRAKER & DE KOSTER, Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on River Street.
WILL VAN DER VEER, Dealer in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Market on Eighth Street.
Miscellaneous.
KEPPEL, T. Dealer in Wood and Coal, lath shingles, etc., and a cabinet painter. Corner Eight and Cedar Streets.
GRANDALL, S. R., Dealer in Fancy Notions, Departments and Bazaar Goods and Tinware. Eighth Street.
Painters.
DE MAAT, R., House, Carriage, and Sign Painting, plain and ornamental paper hanging. Shop at residence, on Seventh St., near B. Depot.
Physicians.
KREMER, H., Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, corner of Market. Office at drug store, Eighth Street.
Saloons.
BLOM, C., River Street. Liquors, Wine and Beer. Bottling Works next door. Orders promptly delivered.
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BREYMAN, O. & SON, Watchmakers and Jewelers, and Dealers in Silverware. Repairing promptly executed. Cor. River and Market Sts.

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All kinds of novelties, suitable for Xmas presents, at
Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
Bucklen's Arnica Salve
THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sore, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Heber Walsh "The Druggist."


If you want a good job done, at a reasonable price, go to C. A. Stevenson's Jewelry store, Eighth street, Holland.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
Money to Loan.
The Ottawa County Building and Loan Association has money to loan on real estate security. Apply to the secretary.
C. A. STEVENSON.
Dr. Prior's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

American Provincialism.
Ex-Gov. Wise spoke at a banquet of the Congregational Club of Chicago, last week on Forefathers' Night, and presented the following as his views on the relations we hold to our Forefathers:
When your committee invited me to address you I was requested to speak of the influence of the Cavalier upon American civilization.
I declined to champion the cause of the Cavalier, because I long ago concluded from careful study of tradition and history that the glory of America is not peculiarly due to any class of her original population; that there are no Americans exclusively of one strain of ancestry; that there is little of our wonderful development justly traceable to any particular transatlantic source; that many diverse influences, often antagonistic, have co-operated to produce results altogether novel in our population and government, and last, but not least, that the time has come when a patriotic American citizen should be content with his title as an American, without seeking to trace back and give the glory to any one of the jealous and antagonistic elements of the past.
As a youth living in what was recognized as the Cavalier Colony (Virginia) I formerly took pleasure in the conceit that the Cavalier element of American settlement was the fruitful and prevalent strain from which the greater part of American glory had been derived and complacently regarded myself as of that pre-eminent stock.
The three earliest settlements were made in America almost simultaneously, at Jamestown, in Massachusetts, and at New York. The first two were English, and the third was Dutch.
I will not pause to describe the glories of our American institutions. My purpose is to show the source whence they were derived in some cases, to show the folly of certain claimants of this or that concerning them.
Before taking up the question of the origin of these things permit me to say something of the terms Puritan and Cavalier. 1. Their real significance. 2. The significance which certain assumed Puritans in America give to them as applied to themselves and to the Cavalier element of the Southern colonies, as they are pleased to conceive it; and 3, the significance which certain assumed Cavaliers in America are pleased to give to their chosen name and to the Puritans of New England.
The term Puritan originated in England, in the latter part of the sixteenth century, and was applied to those who believed in the simpler form of worship—low church Episcopallians. Cavalier was a term which became prevalent as describing the followers of Charles I, in the struggle which arose long after the Virginia settlement.
But the term Cavalier, as applied by so many Puritans or New-Englanders in America to their brethren in the Southern States, seems to be based on the notion that the original Southern settler came to America for the purpose of finding something to take back on which he could have a good time in England; that his expectation of returning being disappointed he secured as much rum as possible; then fell naturally into slavery; that he was drunken, ignorant, domineering, and that, while possessing hospitality and courage, his grosser traits made him and his descendants altogether unlovely.
The fanciful notion of the American Puritan, possessed by certain so-called and self-constituted Cavaliers, is not a whit more flattering. He pictures his Northern congener as a half-starved ascetic, with sunken eyes and lantern jaw, and nose suggestive of chronic catarrh; whose chief aim is the accomplishment of wealth and who makes his religion a cloak for his rascality. He gives him credit for frugality and continuity of purpose—but considers him a fanatic and unpossessed of capacity for social enjoyment. This feeling has existed for 200 years. Among the educated and traveled it is much diminished. Among the ignorant and prejudiced, though modified, it still exists.
Those who were soldiers during the late war have greatly changed their views as to each other. Each has learned that the other possessed the courage, the endurance, and the bulldog tenacity of Englishmen. Slavery, one great aggravating cause of the national folly, is gone, but the spirit of antagonism remains. It will remain long after you and I are dead, and he who foments it by invidious comparison of the work of the sections is doing his country infinite injury.
The claim that our country is indebted to the so-called Cavalier or so-called Puritan element for one or the other, or all of the land marks, principles, and institutions above enumerated, is the staple of many public utterances of men in both sections. The little theatre in which the New England, the New York, the Pennsylvania and the Southern settlements strutted their brief day upon the stage was bounded on the West by the Blue Ridge Mountains. It was never, until the coming of a race more sturdy than Cavalier or Puritan, that the mountains were crossed and the star of empire started westward. There came a new race to America—a race as different from the English Puritan or Pilgrim as the lion from the ox—a race as different from the English Cavalier as was John Knox from Walter Raleigh. From 1710 to 1750 a vast multitude of Scotch-Irishmen poured into the American colony.
[The speaker went on to tell with great accuracy of detail how these sturdy Calvinist immigrants came and conquered the Western wilderness and then took up the details of the origin of the American institutions.]
The Declaration of Independence was the work of brave men; men from the Cavaliers, and the Puritans, the Dutch and the Scotch-Irish habits; men, threatened by a common peril, united in an expression of a common purpose; although the expression was not novel. They accomplished that purpose by a common effort and left their declaration as a common heritage. Yet there are among us, more than a hundred years afterwards, who will quarrel as to whether the source of this declaration was Puritan or Cavalier. It was neither—it was not even English. It was American.
Our Constitution has been the subject of fierce contention as to whether the Puritan or Cavalier element was predominant in its framing. The jealous factions claim what belong to neither. The idea of a written constitution never came from England. There is no written constitution there today. We derived our whole conception of our Constitution and Supreme Court from sources foreign to England. Our Declaration, Articles of Confederation, and whole system were the joint product of Puritan and Cavalier, Dutch, Huguenot, and Scotch-Irish, working for a common end.
Was the separation of Church and State attributed to either influence? Virginia was foremost in this work, although at the time of the Revolution she was in full possession of the Church-of-England men and Episcopallians.
And so as to the system of land tenures. We have nothing derived from England save that our warranty deeds follow the old English forms.
The same is true of our whole system of mercantile law. It is not of English origin. Marshall, the Cavalier, and Kent and Story, the Puritans, vied with each other in adopting the continental and Roman law.
Our system of election is not English. Our methods of administration of justice are not English. Our abolition of classes was not English. So we owe nothing to Puritan or Cavalier for either, considered as of English origin.
Our charitable institutions antedated England both as to hospitals and prisons. The first and best were in the Dutch colonies of New York and Pennsylvania.
Our religious toleration is more distinctly independent of Puritan or Cavalier than any of the things already named. The Puritan and Pilgrim descendants boast of the spirit of religious liberty transmitted from their forefathers, yet the Puritans proscribed men for their beliefs, and the Rhode Island Catholics were deprived of suffrage from 1719 to 1783.
Neither Puritan nor Cavalier furnished the inspiration for the adoption of religious liberty and the freedom of the press as incorporated in the amendment of the Federal Constitution. The example of Holland led to this and to forbidding Congress from making any law "respecting an establishment of religion."
In a vague, undefined way New-Englanders claim the origination of the system of public education. Nothing of this came from England nor was it originated in New England. The free school system of the Dutch was our inspiration, and Dutch New York had a thorough system of free schools twenty years before it was adopted in New England. It was the Cavalier of Virginia who ceded the vast possessions of the North west, with the condition that every alternate section should be set apart for the purpose of free education. It was not the work of the Cavalier alone. Virginia had other elements, but how can the fact that the New-Englander followed up this glorious opening with his spelling book and furnished the West with schoolmasters give him the exclusive title of champion of education?
The greatest of all the nullifiers, John C. Calhoun, was almost pure Scotch-Irish, a grandson of one of the Scotch-Irishmen who reached Carolina by way of Pennsylvania and the Shenandoah Valley. Oddly enough his great campaign was against Andrew Jackson, who had not a drop of the blood of either Puritan or Cavalier, as we use the term. So also the Pickens, the Toombs, and other fiery followers of Calhoun were of the blood of Presbyterians and Dissenters, while the great mass of old Virginia gentry and Episcopallians were conservative Whigs and opponents of secession, until forced to choose between allegiance to Virginia and the Union. So deep was this feeling that Virginia never passed an ordinance of secession until after Fort Sumpter had been fired upon and Lincoln had called upon her to furnish her quota of troops to suppress the outbreak in the Southern States.
The type is almost extinct. It had its virtues, but it had its vices, and left its deep impress upon America so that time shall not efface it. It needs no apologist. Its greatest danger lies in the gasconading and false claims of its pretended representatives. As an illustration of this last suggestion I will read you an extract from an oration delivered by the so-called Rev. R. C. Cave May 30, 1894, at Richmond, Va., at the unveiling of a monument to the Confederate dead and then I shall take the liberty of showing a few of the follies and inconsistencies of every utterance of one who theoretically represents the idea of charity and brotherly love.
[He then read from a report of Mr. Cave's famous speech a few extracts in which Mr. Cave said the victory of the North was a triumph of the physically stronger in a conflict between the representatives of two essentially different civilizations and antagonistic ideas of government. The South was led by Cavaliers. Against the South was arrayed the power of the North, which has ever been characterized by the pharisaism that worships itself and is unable to perceive any goodness apart from itself and from the time of Oliver Cromwell to the time of Abraham Lincoln has never hesitated to trample upon the rights of others in order to effect its own ends. At Appomattox, Puritanism, backed by overwhelming numbers and unlimited resources, prevailed. Continuing Mr. Wise said:]
As a Confederate soldier, as one in whose veins runs the blood of the Cavalier of Old Virginia, if there be any such as an American citizen, who loves the truth of history; as a layman protesting against the lack of charity in every utterance of one who is supposed to represent "Faith, Hope and Charity," I protest against every utterance of this speaker as untrue, unpatriotic, and as foolish.
Winfield Scott, a Cavalier Virginian of the oldest stain, was head of the armies of the Union. Grant was no Puritan. Meade was a French Huguenot, and so far as known not a drop of Puritan blood coursed through the veins of Abraham Lincoln. Sheridan was no Puritan. It is false that the war was a crusade or a triumph

for Puritanism. It was a struggle between the idea of union and disunion.
And how false is the position that the South was led into that conflict by descendants of the Cavaliers! How much of the English Cavalier is found in the Calhouns, the Pickens, the Benjamins, and the Silldells? When men like the Rev. Mr. Cave seek to idealize the great struggle for the Union and convert it into one between Cavalier and Puritan, let them remember that instead of Puritanism of the Cromwellian type being confined to the Northern side, there never has perhaps since the days of Cromwell and his Ironsides been another leader and his following as much like Cromwell and his men, as the Scotch-Irish-Puritan Stonewall Jackson and his Presbyterian division from the Valley of Virginia.
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A newspaper paragraph denounces as "false" the claim of a baking powder company to an award at the World's Fair. Whom can they mean?
Certainly not Dr. Price's. Why? Because, as the records show, Dr. Price's exhibited, competed and received the highest award, both at the Chicago and the California Midwinter Fair. The award included Gold Medal. The official examiners pronounced it the strongest, the purest, the most wholesome and efficient of all the baking powders. Its title to confidence is unquestioned.
Can it be the manufacturers of a New York powder, fictitiously labeled "absolutely pure" who are making false claims? That would be strange indeed, inasmuch as they were not even considered in the awards.
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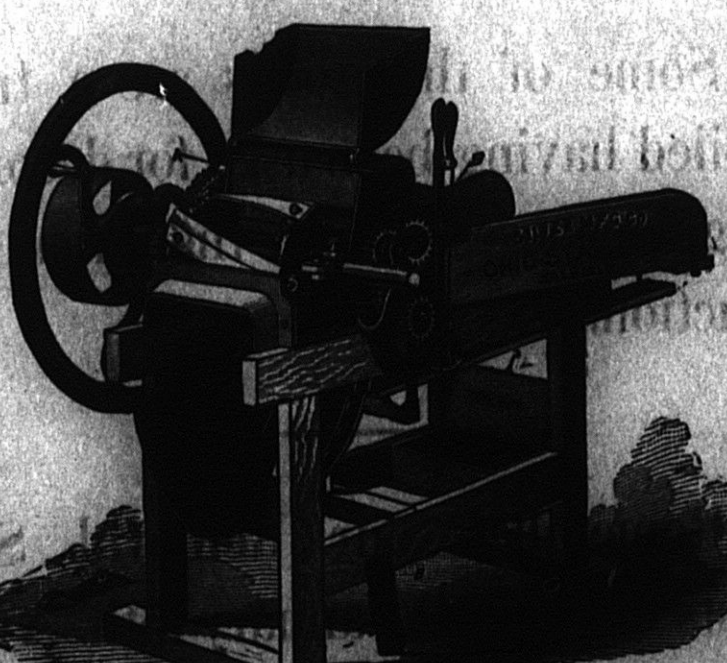
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Rate from Grand Rapids will be about \$326.00, which includes transportation and sleeping car expenses for the entire trip and all expenses for meals, hotels, carriages and street cars, etc., from St. Louis to Mexico and return.

The itinerary provides for leaving Grand Rapids on Jan. 21st, and returning on Feb. 26th, and includes all the principal points of interest accessible by rail in Mexico, going via El Paso and returning via Laredo and San Antonio.

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The Dyspeptic's Dream.

By the dreamer.

He was a tall, cadaverous, dyspeptic-looking man, and he was before the magistrate upon the suit of the landlady for a week's board. The fact having been proven conclusively, that he had occupied the quarters for the time named, the judge, a very severe looking old gentleman, asked, as I supposed merely for form sake, what the defense was, if any.

The lean man replied that he had what in his opinion, be considered a good defense:— That when he went to the lady's house to board, his first question was, he being a confirmed dyspeptic, if the bread was good. He had been assured that it was, but upon taking up his quarters he found that it was not only not good but was sour and heavy, and that by reason of this he had suffered tortures, and had declined for this reason and no other, to pay his board, and here he rested his case.

The judge had listened with much interest, and upon the gentleman taking his seat, delivered himself of the following: "I have listened with interest and feeling (having once been a dyspeptic myself) to the statements and defence of the gentleman. In these days when Horsford's Baking Powder is so easily obtained, there is no excuse in the world for landladies giving their boarders sour or heavy bread. It is as much their duty to keep up with the improvements of the age, to protect the health, if not the lives of their customers, as it is for the railroads to adopt patent air-brakes and other appliances for the protection of their passengers, and taking this view of the case I find for the defendant, and give notice that I will so find in every case of this kind brought before me."

Here I woke up, and as a consequence, lost the remainder of the proceedings.

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MICHIGAN RAILROAD TAXES.

There is Due the State \$811,036—Not a Passenger Killed in 1894.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—Railroad Commissioner Billings reported to the governor that the total sum due the state from railroads for taxes this year is \$811,036. As compared with 1893 this is a falling off of \$82,705, or 9.35 per cent. Of this total the four roads operating under a special charter paid \$330,933. The taxes to be paid by this class of roads next year decrease nearly three-fourths, as the Michigan Central and Grand River Valley roads have filed their acceptance of the provisions of an act of 1893, permitting special charter roads to come under the provisions of the general railroad law for the purpose of taxation.

The commissioner reports the fact that for the year ending December 1 not one passenger was killed and but eleven injured by a railroad accident in the state. This is in marked contrast with last year's experience, when in October alone forty-two passengers were killed and ninety-six injured in two accidents at Jackson and Battle Creek.

The aggregate cost of the roads is given at \$1,019,700,895, while the total stock and debt is \$1,078,896,799. The aggregate receipts from operation were \$146,928,639, and the total expenses, including taxes, \$108,054,079. The net income of \$41,573,560 is \$3,712,701 greater than that of the year previous.

BADLY USED BY BURGLARS.

An Old Farmer Has a Painful Experience with Robbers.

FLAT ROCK, Dec. 25.—Michael Warner, an old farmer living in Huron township, was supposed to keep considerable money in his house. Monday night three men forced an entrance, and when they could find but \$25.00, the old man and cut his flesh to make him disclose the hiding place of his money. His screams brought the neighbors and two of the burglars were captured and locked up, the other escaping. The prisoners gave the names of Michael Frutchet and Martin Miller. The old man is not seriously hurt and he saved the \$3,000 or more in cash which he had hidden in the house.

TEACHERS EARN \$3,768,905.

Superintendent of Public Instruction of Michigan Makes a Report.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—The report of the state superintendent of public instruction of Michigan shows that the total amount paid for teachers' salaries in the public schools for the year ending September 30 was \$3,768,905, of which \$2,809,348 was paid to women teachers, whose average wages were \$24.88 per month, against an average of \$48.89 paid to male teachers. There were 10,388 teachers employed, of whom 13,008 were women. The value of school property is \$15,757,881. Free text books were furnished in 764 districts.

OUT OF WORK.

Loss of Employment the Cause of a Suicide.

DETROIT, Dec. 23.—Thomas D. Nelson committed suicide at the Hotel Barclay Tuesday morning under particularly sad circumstances. He evidently took some form of opium, probably morphine. He was found unconscious in his room and doctors tried to restore him by giving gas, but were unsuccessful. Nelson left a letter in which he said his mother would be better off without him. Mrs. Nelson is visiting at Flushing, Mich. The young man was dependent because of lack of employment and for this reason took his life.

Bank Officers to Be Investigated.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—The depositors of the Central Michigan savings bank, which failed nearly two years ago, held a meeting here Tuesday and appointed a committee to investigate the affairs of the bank to determine, if possible, whether any of its officials have been guilty of criminal conduct in wrecking the institution. Cashier Bradley will be tried at the coming term of court for making a false public record. As dividends have been coming rather slowly recently, a total of 44 per cent. only having been paid, the depositors are becoming nervous.

Dropped Dead at a Funeral.

DETROIT, Dec. 23.—While assisting an undertaker to carry out the corpse of his nephew to a hearse, Robert J. Haggerty, a coal dealer of this city, staggered forward just as he reached the gate and dropped to the sidewalk dead. The coffin fell on top of him. When the dead man had been taken into the house the undertaker picked up the coffin, put it into the hearse, and the funeral proceeded as if nothing had happened. Mr. Haggerty's death is attributed to apoplexy.

Sustained by the Supreme Court.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—The supreme court has refused a mandamus compelling Insurance Commissioner Giddings to grant a certificate of authority to the American Monitor of Detroit, an endowment fraternal insurance concern, to do endowment insurance in Michigan, upon the ground that it was organized under act 104 of the laws of 1890, which has been declared unconstitutional and void.

Decrease in Salt Production.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—State Salt Inspector Hill has filed his annual report with the governor. The total production of the eight districts of the state for the year ending November 30, was 4,158,941 barrels—875,374 barrels less than that of 1893. The number of firms engaged in the industry, according to the report, is 109, having a total producing capacity of 4,255,000 barrels.

Murder at Seney.

SENEY, Dec. 23.—Timothy Kane, camp foreman for the Manistiquie Lumber company, was stabbed and killed by Isaac Stracher Monday night. Stracher, who was an employee of the same company, quarreled with Kane in a saloon and when the latter assaulted him drew a knife and killed him. Stracher is in jail.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

Some Interesting Bits of News from Many Localities.

Michigan pickle manufacturers are shipping goods to England.

The Pottawatonic Indians in Berrien county will get about \$140,000 to divide among 260 persons.

The Michigan Central railroad now has a branch completed from Buchanan to the dam on the St. Joseph river, about 3 miles from the town. Several new factories are locating on the line.

Grand Ledge and Charlotte are to be connected by an electric railway to carry passengers and general freight. While sinking a well at Decatur for new waterworks a vein of coal was struck at a depth of 64 feet.

Two sharpers dressed as lumbermen succeeded in passing several bogus checks at Ishpeming with the name of the Dead River Lumber company.

The mangled remains of an Indian named William Weigoshok, living at Indiantown, on the Keweenaw river, were found on the Michigan Central track, near West Bay City.

In a fight in a Detroit saloon Sunday night Emil J. Noseck was kicked to death. His assailant escaped.

Dr. Cook, one of the best-known citizens of western Michigan, prominent in medical circles and masonry, died at his home in Muskegon Sunday of pleuro-pneumonia after a brief illness of five days at the age of 54 years.

Frank Bradley, alias Franklin Burton, wanted in Detroit for forgery, was arrested in Toronto, Ont., Monday. Bradley has agreed to waive extradition proceedings and will return to Detroit with an officer from that city.

A site has been purchased at Saginaw for a new Y. M. C. A. building.

A new savings bank, to be backed by the Peninsular savings bank of Detroit, is to be established at Jackson.

Comptroller Eckels has forwarded checks to pay the last claim against the failed National City bank of Marshall. This winds up the bank's affairs. Theron Giddings, of Kalamazoo, was receiver of this bank.

The mill dam at La Grange, 5 miles east of Dowagiac, broke recently and liberated 500 acres of water. No particular damage was done.

Vertie, 12-year-old son of Frank Herriek, proprietor of the Commercial house, at Freeport, was killed by a runaway horse.

Matt Zeigler, a farmer who lived 3 miles south of Unionville, fell from a load of wood and broke his neck.

Benton Harbor will seek a revision of its charter at the hands of the legislature.

Sandstone in great quantities is found at Cassville, Huron county. It is said to be as good as the Ohio product.

If the present activity in lumbering continues, the upper peninsula will be stripped of its pine within five years.

The Eagle tannery works of Whitehall have just contracted to furnish 5,000 sides of binders' leather for a dictionary edition in New York.

The mills at Cheboygan cut 94,000,000 feet of lumber, 35,000,000 pieces of lath, 25,000,000 shingles and 6,000,000 staves the past season.

A bell is rung at 8 o'clock in Port Huron every evening and children under 15 years of age are compelled to leave the streets for their respective homes.

The Peninsular Military company of West Bay City will dedicate its armory on February 23.

Mrs. Arthur Bennett, of Port Huron, has fallen heir to \$40,000, by the death of an English relation.

Lester Baldwin, a well-to-do farmer, committed suicide at Hillsdale, by shooting himself in the mouth. He leaves a widow and two children.

George Simmonds and Mrs. Florence Clancy, daughter of the former's landlady, have eloped from Detroit, the woman leaving a husband behind her. They are said to be in Cincinnati.

Took Him for an Alligator.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 21.—Last June Frank Statie while crossing a bridge over a creek in Allegan county saw what he says he thought was an alligator. Procuring a rail he dealt the object a terrible blow. As it fell into the stream below he saw that it was Carl Johnson, who had fallen asleep while fishing. Statie took Johnson home, where it was found his skull had been fractured. Johnson recovered and sued Statie for murderous assault, but the latter was acquitted.

A civil suit for damages was then brought, but it has been thrown out of court.

Jailbreaker Caught.

HILLSDALE, Dec. 22.—Seven desperate criminals escaped from the Hillsdale county jail September 3 by tunneling through the walls. Among them was George E. Cleveland, who with Robert Mehan and Frank Swindenski was charged with the attempted murder of Postmaster Weatherwax, of Somerset, in July. Since then one of the lesser jailbreakers was caught, but Cleveland and his pals were not heard from till Thursday night. Sheriff Converse received a telegram from the chief of police of New Orleans, La., saying they had him in custody.

Receivers Named.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Dec. 23.—A bill was filed here Monday by the Northwestern national bank, of Chicago, representing the second mortgage bondholders, to foreclose on the Muskegon Electric railway, default in payment of interest being the cause. Fred A. Nims was appointed receiver. The indebtedness is \$280,000.

Reducing the Copper Output.

CALMET, Mich., Dec. 23.—The big Calumet and Hecla copper mine is materially reducing its output. Several hundred tons of rock less daily are going to mill this month than formerly. An understanding has been reached between the principal copper producers for a material reduction in the output of metal.

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" \$1.75 " gallon.
" 1.00 " quart.

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" " 1.50 " gallon.
" " .75 " quart.

Blackberry Wine \$2.00 per gallon.
" " 1.50 " gallon.
" " .50 " quart.

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Holland City News.

G. VAN SCHELVEN, Editor.

SATURDAY, DEC. 29.

Christmas Echoes.

The Cappon & Bertsch Leather Company as usual, presented each of their hands with a Christmas turkey.

Frank E. Doesburg was the recipient of a watch and chain at the hands of Will Breyman, manager of the Lyceum Opera House, for faithful assistance.

There is a marked increase in railroad travel to and from Holland this season, many availing themselves of the reduced C. & W. M. rates.

The green-house of C. S. Dutton, the florist, on Twelfth street, was taxed to its utmost in filling orders for flowers this season.

A fine piano gladdened the hearts of the young ladies at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Mulder.

Christmas services were held by the Sunday schools of the following churches: Hope, First Ref., Third Ref., Methodist and Ninth St. H. C. Ref. They were all largely attended, the several churches not being able to accommodate all that wished to attend.

The Christmas dinner at the City Hotel was equal to the menu as published in the News last week. This can be testified to by the following parties of this city, who availed themselves of Landlord Williams' bounteous invitation: Messrs. and Mesdames Wm. Brune, J. P. Ogge, J. J. Cappon, C. H. Harmon, T. C. Hall, L. C. Bradford, F. E. Remington, G. A. Kanter.

Prof. J. W. Beardslee attended the Sunday school Christmas entertainment of the Second Ref. church at Grand Haven.

Prof. Kleinheksel's Sunday school class, testified to their appreciation of him by the presentation of a beautiful Oxford bible.

The representation of Santa Claus at the Hope church Sunday-school festival was so life-like.

The pleasant relations between Mrs. O. Gilmore and her Sunday-school class composed of young men of the city, was manifested reciprocally, in that the latter presented her with a beautiful basket of flowers, and were in return invited to Van Drogen's for an oyster supper.

College Items.

A catalogue of the library is now being prepared and will be ready for distribution next term.

Prof. Latta, formerly school commissioner for Allegan Co., now of this city, has been engaged to take President Kollen's branches in his absence. He has already taken charge of the Junior in Logic.

Prof. N. M. Steffens, D. D., of the Western Theol. Seminary, has received a call to the Presbyterian Theol. Seminary at Duquesne. A petition has been circulated by the Seminary men asking him to stay.

The course in sociology pursued by the Juniors has awakened much interest in the subject and Prof. Kleinheksel has consented to take a special class in the study. The text book which will be used is Small and Vincent's Introduction to the Study of Society.

The Anchor Association held its annual business meeting Monday, December 3. As editorial staff for 1895 the following were elected: Editor-in-chief, G. Watermuller, '95; associate editors, E. D. Dimment, '96; D. C. Raigh, '96; G. Koolker, '97; J. Van den Bosch, '97; J. J. Banning, '98. Advertising Manager, H. Wiersma, '98. Subscription Manager, A. L. Warnishuis, '97.

The old chapel building has at last undergone such changes as will make it look like a gymnasium. With the money so liberally subscribed last year the committee has done some profitable work; the old stage has been removed, the gallery has been extended so as to make a very fine running track which requires thirty-four laps for one mile. Four traveling rings have been hung in a line which afford great amusement to the boys; a trapeze has been made which we are sorry to say has been the source of three injuries already, but we trust that the boys will be more careful in its use hereafter; a kicking standard and horizontal bar are in course of construction and will soon be ready for use. The committee which was appointed last year have the management in hand and are having the gymnasium open from 4 to 4:45 p. m. every day. The fees have been fixed at 50 cents term, or three terms for \$1.00.

Anton Zaluski and Henry Traas, while out on a drive to the Lake Shore Thursday, met with a serious accident. The horse frightened and in making a short turn capsize the buggy. Anton struck with his head against a log and was seriously injured. He was conveyed home and placed in charge of Dr. Wetmore. Traas escaped with some light injuries, also on the head.

Our What-Not.

RANDOM JOTTINGS AND OBSERVATIONS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

Very few are aware of the fact that the conflict now waging between the celestial kingdom and the inland empire—China and Japan—has placed in a conspicuous and responsible position Mr. B. Hashiguchi, a former student of Hope College. He is now the consul of Japan at New York, and his name frequently appears in print in connection with matters pertaining to the war. Hashiguchi studied at the same time with Oghimi, Matsuda and Kimura. He was, however, more cosmopolitan in his characteristics and subsequently went to Amherst, Mass., where he completed his course. Those who knew him best say that he manifested more of the "Yamato-damashi," or innate spirit and loyalty of his countrymen, than did the others. The ability of all four of these students has been recognized in various ways and their career closely watched by high officials of the Japanese empire. All are said to be willing to die for their Mikado and their native land.

The Christmas festival at Hope church, on Friday evening last, recalled to the memory of the writer an amusing incident that happened twenty-five years ago in connection with a Sunday school festival of this congregation. The church at that time stood in about the same location, only fronting on Tenth instead of Eleventh street. Willing hands had loaded down the Christmas tree with gifts and ornaments, finished decorating the church with evergreens and gone home for their suppers, leaving everything in readiness for the evening's program. The only one left in the church was the sexton, the late Mr. Deming, who was poking up the fire in the furnace below, in order to have the edifice comfortable for the children. A number of small boys, who always make themselves very numerous on an occasion of this kind, kept running up and down the church steps, slamming the front door and hooting at the sexton, which greatly annoyed him. "See me fix them," said the sexton to himself, as he grabbed a broom, mounted the stairs and took a position beside the door in the dark corridor. Only a moment later the front door quietly opened and admitted, as he supposed, one of his boyish tormentors. It was then that the broom was mustered into service and brought down again and again upon the head and body of his victim. Not until the latter in his effort to escape the punishment opened the rear door leading into the church, thus admitting a ray of light, did the sexton and out to his surprise and chagrin that he had been beating the venerable and portly Dr. Stewart, the pastor of the church, who had come in to take a peek at the tree and decorations before the crowd came. Explanations were accepted and many a many a time did Parson Stewart repeat and laugh over the story.

"Four articles of crockery thrown in with a pound of baking powder, at 50c," was the sign that attracted a Holland lady's attention in a Grand Rapids show window the day before Christmas. She was already loaded down with nick-nacks for the holidays, but could not resist this tempting offer. The baking compound was purchased and four earthen bowls weighing close to ten pounds, were the articles thrown in. Oh, what a prize! It was almost train-time, and with the load she had to carry she was unable to catch the first street car going in her direction. This necessitated either a long walk or a wait of ten minutes for the next motor. When the depot was reached the train was just pulling out, thus involving another wait of six hours for the next one and the expense of a supper. Oh, how aggravated! Then it dawned upon the lady for the first time that the fifty cents expended for the baking powder was a portion of the money she had tucked away in one corner of her purse to pay her fare home with. A friend had to be hunted up who would advance the required collateral, before the conductor could be approached. The assertion can be ventured that this same lady will not on her next visit to the Valley City patronize the butcher who throws in a baby carriage with every quarter of beef he sells. Moral—Buy your baking powder of your home grocer.

For the Holland City News.

The Common Schools of the County.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

William Carxon was the first to give the English a practical knowledge of printing.

Sir Thomas Moore was the greatest of the early prose writers. His most famous book was Utopia, though not written in English. After Henry VIII was divorced from Catharine of Aragon and the progress of his marriage with Anna Boleyn was so far advanced as to demand the active co-operation of a Lord Chancellor, Moore resigned the Great Seal and refused to take the oath pledging himself to the lawfulness of the King's marriage. For this he was committed to the Tower and beheaded July 6, 1535. His head was placed on London Bridge, but was taken down and preserved by

his favorite daughter Margaret-Rooper. It has been truly said, "no such culprit has stood at an European bar for a thousand years."

John Wycliff made the English language the popular language of religious thought and feeling.

The Gaspee was an armed British vessel. It was destroyed by the Rhode Islanders in 1772. The citizens never forgot nor forgave the blood-stains made on the snow of King street, now State, street in the Boston massacre. Later that feeling showed itself in the destruction of this vessel, stationed to prevent smuggling.

The "National Road" was a national highway, running from Wheeling, W. Va., through to the Mississippi. It was completed under Monroe's administration and cost over six million dollars.

"Returning Boards". These boards are empowered to canvass and make an official statement of the votes cast at an election.

The "Western Reserve" was Connecticut's public land in Ohio, from the sale of which to the government in 1786 she laid the foundation of her school fund.

Prince Hohenlohe is the successor of Von Caprivi, chancellor of the German empire.

Bancroft Gherardi was born in Louisiana, 1848. He served in the Mexican war and during the Civil war became a captain in 1874, commodore in 1884, and rear-admiral in 1897. He has just been retired from the United States navy, after an honorable service of forty-eight years.

Philly G. Hamerton was a writer on many themes. The young men of this country are indebted to him for his book "The Intellectual Life." He died at Boulogne-sur-Seine.

Mrs. Richard A. Proctor has in view the founding at Mount San Migne, of an observatory with the longest telescope in the world, as a memorial to her deceased husband, the great astronomer.

Francis Magnard was a French editor, who died recently.

Armenians in Asia Minor, near Mt. Ararat, though a peaceful race, have of late years started a revolution, to secure their independence. A state of anarchy exists outside the towns in Armenia. The government incites the Mohammedans against the Christians; houses are searched and robbed; and crime is prevalent throughout the country. The recent massacre will bring the Armenian trouble prominent before the civilized world.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Whitelaw Reid is seriously sick in Egypt.

Lapsing is now a weather signal service station, the bureau having been moved there from Detroit.

Copenhagen is now a free port.

The residents of the New Hebrides Islands are suffering from earthquakes and volcanic disturbances.

Mrs. Estelle Reed has been elected state superintendent of public instruction of Wyoming.

QUESTIONS.

What, and when, was the first English book printed?

Who were the two great creative minds of the 17th century?

What early English poet was nicknamed "The Lady?"

Who was the greatest dramatist, and what was his greatest tragedy?

Give a brief description of the Canterbury tales?

What was Utopia?

What was the "Walking purchase?"

Why invert the divisor in division?

What are the legislative, judicial and executive of a county?

What is the origin of the Arabic notation?

SCHOOLS VISITED.

Miss Ada Somerset, in the Parish, Allendale, is doing good work.

Miss Alta Gelbert, in the Boody, Wright, is teaching her third year, with apparent success.

Chauncey C. Stiles, in the Centennial, Polkton, is one of Ottawa's best. His school speaks for itself.

E. G. Cooney, principal of the Lamont schools, has redeemed the reputation of the school. He has eleven non-residents, and all doing excellent work. Miss Dora A. Robinson, one of the reliable, is still in the primary department and an excellent primary teacher.

Frank Powers, in the Lachman, Chester, is doing unusual good work for a beginner.

Lewis Howard, an importation from Kent county, is working hard for a reputation in the Waller, Chester.

Miss Phoebe Clark, a veteran, is serving her ninth year in the Clark school, Robinson.

Miss Georgia Somerset is doing good work in the Knight school, Robinson.

Miss Hannah Van Loo is doing good work at Agnew. Teacher and pupils are happy and progressive.

Miss Mary Robinson is serving her fourth year in the German school, Grand Haven. The patrons are pleased with her work.

O. B. Wilms, in the Peach Plains school, is doing unusual good work.

David Waller, director of the Waller school, Chester, donated the material for a flag; his wife and daughter made it; and the enthusiastic school-board, teachers, pupils and patrons, helped to float it on Tuesday, the 18th.

The Lamont school rooms are newly papered. Everything necessary in this district but a dictionary.

New curtains in the German school, and a new slate black-board.

The Clark school has been newly painted, a new belfry and bell, and a good prospect for a flag.

The Big Springs school floated their flag for the first time Friday, the 21st. They have gone to work already for a library.

Miss Hattie Lindemier closes a very successful term of school in the Trumbel School, Robinson, and has been engaged for the remainder of the year.

A new dictionary is badly needed in the McMann school, Crookery.

CORA M. GOODENOW, Com'r.

Personal Mention.

Miss Anna Dehn is visiting relatives at Owosso.

Fred Basse spent Christmas in the Valley City.

Dr. A. Van der Veen was in the city Saturday.

A. C. Zwemer of Saugatuck Sundayed in this city.

F. M. Palmer is visiting at his old home Rockford, Ill.

Oscar Wilms is at home from Peach Plains during vacation.

Miss Blossom Blanchard is visiting with friends in Canada.

Sheriff Stratton of Allegan registered at the City Hotel, Monday.

M. G. Manting was in Grand Haven Saturday, on official business.

Jacob Helder of Kalamazoo is visiting his parents during the holidays.

Miss Hannah Te Roller, who has been quite sick, is improving nicely.

H. Stern of Kalamazoo took his Christmas dinner at the City Hotel.

Jas. De Young and family were with relatives in Grand Rapids Christmas.

Chas. Mc Bride is home from the Ann Arbor University, during vacation.

Miss Anna M. Pfanstiehl is visiting in Grand Rapids, for a part of the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Van Zanten are taking in Grand Haven during the holiday week.

Mrs. Geo. Van Hess of Big Rapids made her father, G. Wakker, a visit on Thursday.

Wm. J. Just, an attorney of Ionia, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. A. Laite, over Sunday.

John and Dick Van der Veen of Grand Rapids Sundayed with their parents in this city.

J. Pieters and family took their Christmas dinner with their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Boone.

Misses Emma D. Roberts and Elsie Jarvis of the Public Schools, passed their vacation in Muskegon.

Miss Gertrude Higgins of Cadillac spent her vacation in Holland, the guest of Miss Tillie Van Schelven.

Miss Neale Benjamins of the firm of Benjamins Sisters is with friends in Grand Rapids during the holidays.

Miss Fannie Steffens, teacher in the Pleasant Prairie College, German Valley, Ill., is home during the holidays.

Miss Francis Van Leeuwen of Grand Rapids is spending the holidays in this city, with her aunt Mrs. W. Van Putten.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Guilfoil of Mantec, were among the many that spent Christmas with relatives and friends in this city.

Albert Wing and sister Elora, and Mrs. Elsie Wing of Bellevue, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wing.

The Misses Woltman took the train for Grand Haven Saturday to spend Christmas with relatives and friends at their old home.

Miss Mary Cook and Miss Mae Kenner, of the Public schools, spent Christmas at their respective homes, Saginaw and Detroit.

Frank De Kok, Dick Te Slegte, John Van Lente and John Meerman, boarded the train for Grand Rapids, on a Christmas outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob G. Van Putten and Miss Minnie Van Raalte took their Christmas dinner with Sheriff Keppel at Grand Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Klaver, and Tony Baker, of Grand Haven, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. J. De Vries on Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harper of Streator, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bowman of Jackson, Mich., made their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Meenings a Christmas visit.

Wm. Bertsch and sister, who are attending the Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., are spending their vacation with relatives in this city and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Geo. E. Hunt, Miss Mary Herold, John W. Bosman, I. Goldman and Geo. Ballard took in "Wang" at Powers Opera House, Grand Rapids, Christmas evening.

T. Keppel returned Monday from Milwaukee, where he attended the funeral of Mr. Rademaker. His daughter, Mrs. Stouthammer, came with him and will spend the holidays here.

OTHERS COME AND GO, but we are always in the field.

During the 12 years that we have been offering you our flour, many brands have been pushed to your notice under the claims that they were "just as good as Daisy" or "almost equal to Sunlight and cheaper" etc., etc. We ask your attention to the striking fact that none of the older brands for which such claims were made are now on the market. Why? Because the housekeeper's practical tests proved their claims false.

New brands are now offered with a repetition of these old claims, and their fate will be the same as their predecessors. Why? Because we have the largest and best equipped mill in Western Michigan, use only the best wheat, and employ the most skillful millers, and therefore produce the very best flour that it is possible to make. Prices were never so low and will go higher soon.

THE WALSH-DE ROO MILLING CO.

A World's Tribute.



America Leads the Nations in the March of Progress.

Among the wonders of the World's Columbian Fair the grandest was the exhibit of American products. The Exhibition was, in this respect, an object lesson of the grandeur and glory of the Republic. Among the exhibits from the United States no article of its class stood so high as

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

The Chief Chemist of the Agricultural Department at Washington, backed by an intelligent jury at the Exposition, found it strongest in leavening power, peerless in its purity and beyond comparison in uniform excellence.

Received Highest Award At the World's Fair.

The award is a matter of official record. Nothing could settle so decisively the immeasurable superiority of Dr. Price's over all other powders as the great honor bestowed at Chicago.

Mrs. H. Toren and family gathered around a Christmas tree at the home of her sister Mrs. Jane Miller, Grand Rapids. The gathering also included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Van Hess and family of Big Rapids.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK,

at Holland, Michigan, at the close of business December 19, 1894.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$ 127,281 45
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc.	45,134 48
Overdrafts	9,250 19
Banking house	8,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,855 79
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,556 91
Interest paid	1,816 72
Due from banks in reserve cities	23,935 66
Due from other banks and bankers	4,720 14
Checks and cash items	102 47
Nickels and pennies	97 40
Gold coin	5,220 00
Silver coin	1,548 58
U. S. and National Bank Notes	5,246 00
Total	\$220,095 58

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	2,576 00
Gross undivided earnings	7,507 61
Commercial deposits subject to check	9,250 19
Commercial certificates of deposit	9,053 43
Savings deposits	50,700 00
Notes and other liabilities	6,000 00
Total	\$220,095 58

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

COUNTY OF OTTAWA,

I, GERM W. MOKMA, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of December, 1894.

HENRY J. LEIDERS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: GERRIT J. DIKEMA, HENRY KRAMERS, CORNELIUS J. DE ROO, Directors.

DENTAL.

Dr. M. J. Cook, the dentist, being now permanently located in Holland, will open his office in the Melrose block (next to Dr. Yates), Monday, Dec. 24. Office hours, 8 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. Also open evenings.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of payment of a certain mortgage, made and executed by Mary Teunis, nee Jansen, of the township of Zealand, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan, as her-at-law of Jan Jansen deceased, to Jacob Jansen of the same place, dated September nineteenth, A. D. 1892, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ottawa County, Michigan, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1894, in Liber 45 of mortgages, on page 185, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Seventy-five Dollars and Twenty-five cents (\$75 25) and an Attorney fee of Fifteen Dollars provided for in said mortgage; and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given, that on

Monday, the Twenty-fifth day of March,

A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the outer door of the Court House, at the city of Grand Haven, in the County of Ottawa, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for Ottawa county is holden), the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with an Attorney fee of Fifteen Dollars (\$15), covenanted for therein; the premises being described in said mortgage as all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Zealand, county of Ottawa, and state of Michigan, and known and described as follows:

"All the share, right, title and interest of Mary Teunis, nee Jansen, the party of the first part to said mortgage, in and to the North three-fourths (3/4) of the West half (1/2) of the North West quarter (N. W. 1/4) of Section Numbered Thirty-four (34), in Township numbered Five (5) North of range Fourteen (14) West, (excepting as to a piece of 3 1/2 acres in the north-east corner thereof as per deed given of the same.

Dated Holland, December 24, A. D. 1894.

JACOB JANSEN, Mortgagee.

ABRAHAM VINCIGRA, Attorney for Mortgagee.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Allegheny County.

The C. & W. M. have begun the work of rebuilding the Kalamazoo river bridge at New Richmond. It is not known whether it is their intention to make it a stationery or a draw bridge.

There is a lively demand in the fruit belt this winter for fruit trees and plants for spring delivery, more so than has been noted for several years past.

The suit for damages brought by Mrs. Annie Van Keuren against the village of Allegheny has been settled out of court, a compromise being effected by which the village pays her \$300. Mrs. Van Keuren was injured on a defective sidewalk about fourteen months ago, and suit for damages was begun last summer.

The body that was exhumed last week by Sheriff Stratton, at Martin, proves to be that of John S. Montleth, who died recently of a kidney and liver trouble. While a post mortem examination held at the time satisfied some of the attending physicians, Dr. J. C. Dreher of Plainville, the family doctor, was suspicious of poisoning and secured a permit to have the body disinterred. This was done as reported, and the kidney and liver sent to Ann Arbor. It is rumored that Mrs. Montleth and the hired man were quite intimate, and the suspicion is against them.

There is a prospect that the Allegheny paper mill will soon resume operations. Teamsters have begun drawing straw and mechanics are placing the machinery in order.

Prof. Humphrey attended the annual meeting of the state teachers' association at Lansing this week, and read a paper on the "Unity of work in supervision."

Gazette: The oldest inhabitant, the fellow with a knot in each whisker and who had lived in this country in the winters of deep snows and no snows at all, has emerged from his lonely habitation, and with a wisdom drawn from a goose bone, the heavily thawed muskrat house, and the fact that the hog he butchered last week had the big end of its melt pointing north, say we are yet going to have a cold winter.

Port Sheldon.

On Christmas eve the teacher of our school, Dist. No. 7, Miss Rivina Bryman of Holland, furnished the children of the district a Christmas tree. The house was crowded, so that standing room was at a discount. Everything passed off pleasantly, without a hitch in the program, showing the pains the teacher had taken to instruct them in their parts. Santa Claus presented each of the children, big and little, with a new cent, of this year's coinage, obtained from the treasury department, as a souvenir of Christmas, 1894.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anye and daughter Nellie, of the Life Saving Station at Pentwater, came down and spent Christmas with their friends and parents.

The young folks have been enjoying two or three dancing parties last week. Still, when they end with a trial of the manly art of self-defense and some of them come home with swelled faces and black eyes, it is no wonder that parents and people generally speak of disrespectful of dancing parties.

Capt. Jay Jennings of the schooner Phantom, spent his Christmas with friends at Port Sheldon, C. B. and C. J. Cook. All wish him success in his start in life as captain on the lakes next season.

Mr. Klyne had a regular family reunion. His daughters Cora and Jennie with their husbands, and his son Leonard were all here.

The correspondent of the News wishes all its readers a Happy New Year. As there is said to be luck in odd numbers, may the year 1895 verify this to friend and foe.

Grand Haven.

The prevailing malady in town is the mumps.

Geo. A. Farr has bought the Van Slyck farm in Tallmadge. This is one of the finest farms in the county.

Fish tugs are coming in with good hauls.

During the past fiscal year the Sunday school of the First Ref. church has contributed \$349.86 for missionary purposes.

Collector Watson, has established a bonded warehouse at the American Mirror and Glass Beveling Co.'s office, and there is now in bond about three car loads of goods. By this arrangement the glass company will be able to use only such goods as it desires, and their business will be greatly facilitated.

Press: J. W. Kerr, formerly of this city, now connected with a large furniture factory in Grand Rapids, was here Wednesday looking over the furniture plant, with the view of opening up the factory again. His employers sent him here and some close figuring was done with a strong probability that Grand Haven's furniture factory will soon resume operations.

Company F gave Maj. Mansfield a farewell banquet at their armory, Saturday evening. Many toasts, highly complimentary to the major, were given. At the close an elegant gold watch was presented to him in behalf of his associates. The table was set in the form of a letter F, representing the title of the company.

Saugatuck.

Brittain's mill has been running some time, sawing timber for a small barge which Capt. Brittain intends building this winter.

The word "Love" is thus described by a young lady of the Douglas high school: "Love is an affection of the heart, an inflammation of the cerebellum, and an irritation of the vertebrae column, accompanied by flashes of cold and heat. All persons between the ages of 15 and 30 are liable to catch the disease, and the services of a clergyman are more certain to work a cure than those of a physician." The disease is quite prevalent at all seasons of the year.—Record.

Graafschap.

A photograph gallery will be opened here shortly over Peter Mulder's store, by Van Koeveer Bros. of Zeeland.

At the Van Zanten school festival last week, which by the way was a very gratifying affair to old and young, Miss Josephine Cook, the principal, surprised the patrons of the district by presenting them with a fine crayon portrait of Hon. J. W. Garvelink, who for a series of years has been identified with the school. Short addresses were made by the recipient and P. Van Anrooy, Dr. G. Manting and others.

AN ODD LETTER.

It Was Written on a Bank Note and Accomplished Its Mission.

A writer in Cornhill tells a good story illustrating the important part played sometimes by bank notes in the ordinary affairs of life. About sixty years ago, the cashier of a Liverpool merchant had received, in tender for a business payment, a Bank of England note, which he held up to the scrutiny of the light, in order to make sure of its genuineness.

He observed some partially indistinct words traced in red on the front of the note beside the lettering, and on the margin. Curiosity tempted him to try deciphering them. They were so faintly written and so nearly obliterated that he found great difficulty in doing so, but finally he was able to combine them into this sentence:

"If this note should fall into the hands of John Dean, of Longhill, near Carlisle, he will learn hereby that his brother is languishing a prisoner in Algiers."

Mr. Dean was shown the note, and he lost no time in asking the government of the day to make intercession for his brother's freedom. It appeared then that during eleven years, while his friends and family had believed him to be dead, the latter had been a slave to the dey of Algiers. With a piece of wood, he had traced in his own blood, on the bank note, the message which was eventually to secure his release.

The government exerted itself to the utmost in the matter, and he was set free, on the payment of a ransom to the dey.

A CHINESE LOVE LETTER.

Not to Be Despised as Regards Inducements Held Out.

The Octavian Lloyd, an authority on Chinese matters, in a recent article on the manner of love-making in the flowery kingdom, publishes the following letter from a man who desired the daughter of a neighbor as a wife for his son:

"On my knees I beg you not to despise this cold and common request, but listen to the words of the matrimonial agent and give your honorable daughter to my slave of a son, so that the pair, bound by silken threads, may have the greatest joy. In the beautiful spring time I shall offer wedding presents and give a couple of geese. And let us hope for long and continuous fortune and look forward through endless generations to the fulfillment of genuine love. May they sing of plenty and have every joy. On my knees I beg you to consider my proposal favorably, and throw the mirror-like glance of your eyes on these lines."

To this letter the father of the bride replied that he would "attend to the portion of his poor and poverty-stricken daughter, that she might not be without bedclothes, cotton clothing, hairpins and earrings. Therefore it was to be hoped that the couple would have constant fortune."

Legal Papers.

Nearly all legal papers are now typewritten, though documents are encountered now and then which have been laboriously written out by the hand of one of the counsel. The men who still cling to the habit of writing their own legal papers are usually old lawyers, often of good practice, who cannot accommodate themselves to the new order of things. Young lawyers, no matter how small their practice, manage in one way or other to obtain the services of a stenographer. Some of the older men find it practically impossible to work with a stenographer or typewriter at hand.

The Name of China.

We speak of "China" and the "Chinese," little thinking that the natives of the Flowery Kingdom never hear those terms until after leaving the place of their birth or coming in contact with some traveler. They have many names by which they designate themselves and the land which they inhabit, but "Chinese" and "China" are not among that number. The most ancient name of China is Tien Hia, which signifies "beneath the sky." Since the present ruling house took control of the empire in 1630 the name of Ta Tsing Kwoh has been applied to the kingdom as a whole, and Chung Kwoh to that portion known to American readers as the "Middle Kingdom."

It May Do As Much For You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in the back, and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began to use Electric Bitters and found relief at once.

Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure all kidney and liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement.

Price fifty cents per bottle.

Sold by

HEBER WALSH, Holland.

A. DeKruip, Zeeland.

Not So.

Everybody should drink it, in this cold weather. It is pleasant and healthy. Try it at the City Bakery.

G. J. PESSINK.

Ladies.

If you want anything in the line of Hair goods, call on Mrs. C. H. Harmon over Cha's Harmon's barber shop.

Holland, Mich., Nov. 15, 1894.

A Disputed Case.

Many persons dispute the question as to whether or not baldness caused either by disease or neglect can be cured. In deciding this allow us to say that most cases can be cured. Only a specialist of years experience can tell this.

Prof. G. Birkholz, of Chicago, the eminent German specialist, who for years has devoted his time and talent to the study of the hair follicles and who has evolved the most successful treatment for baldness the world has ever known.

He will carefully examine each case and candidly inform the inquirer whether his baldness can be cured and the hair restored. These examinations are made without any extra charge.

In all cases where there are any hair follicles remaining undestroyed by age or disease the professor will undertake a cure, and if he does not effect a restoration of the hair he will ask no pay.

The remedy is an imported one, and the treatment given by the professor is his own, and cures where all others fail.

If your case has been pronounced incurable do not take it as a final answer until you have seen Professor Birkholz and received his opinion.

The success that has attended Professor Birkholz everywhere enables him to give a positive opinion in each case presented him.

Those who are bald or threatened with baldness should not delay treatment, but consult the professor at once.

Call or address

Prof. Birkholz, 1011 Masonic Temple,

Chicago, Ill.

Hand this notice to any first-class druggist and he will get the remedy for you at once if he has not got it in stock.

New Years Drink.

In the City Bakery you can find Hot Soda, with all popular flavors as a Happy and Prosperous New Years drink.

G. J. PESSINK.

Chase's Barley Malt Whiskey is stimulating and nourishing to the consumptive, the old and feeble. It is absolutely pure. For sale by

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CLOTHING

It will pay you to examine our Stock and get prices before purchasing.

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Commencing Jan. 1st, 1895, such articles will be checked for passengers presenting passage tickets, same as baggage, and will, as a rule, be checked only to local points on the initial line or to junction points with other lines.

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itself almost immediately it is taken. On this
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powerful nerve invigorating tonic, imparting its
restorative influence through the medium of the
nervous system to every organ and tissue of the
body. It makes but little difference whether
the constitutional vigor has been undermined by
acute disease, overwork, or certain mischievous
indulgences; or whether the broken down condi-
tion is called by one name or other, so long as
there is nervous exhaustion, general or local
weakness—so long as enervation and debility
are the type of the ailment, this is the remedy.

THOSE WHO SUFFER

from the results of over-mental or physical ex-
ertion, hardship, exposure, hidden drains, nervous
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afflictions by ignorantly or wilfully violating
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gressive physical deterioration, and restores the
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any weakness of the vital organs, nervousness,
prostration of the physical or mental energies,
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bility in life, it is the remedy for certain relief.
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gurate the work of regeneration, and cure in many
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absorbs the tumors, allays the itching at once,
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Laundry Notice.

Until further notice all laundry for
the Holland City Steam Laundry can
be left and called for at the places
heretofore designated.

G. J. A. PESSINK, Prop.

Holiday Presents at
Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

MORE MONEY IN FRUIT.

Michigan Farmers Beginning to Abandon
the Growing of Wheat.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 26.—The farm-
ers in western Michigan are com-
ing to the conclusion that there is no
money in trying to compete with the
Argentine, Russian, and India wheat
growers and are going into fruit grow-
ing on a larger scale than ever. One
dealer in fruit trees in this city has sold
in the neighborhood of 350,000 trees
this season already and the demand is
as brisk now as ever. The success that
has attended the efforts of the Michi-
gan fruit growers the past four or five
years, and especially last season, is a
factor in the change from grain to
fruit. The quarter of a million trees
sold will go to farmers along the west-
ern part of the state from St. Joseph to
Traverse City and even further north.
The largest demand has been for
peach trees, with plums second on the
list, and then pears and apples.

WAS FORCED TO MURDER.

Rockwell, Implicated in the Johnson Case,
Said to Have Confessed.

KALAMAZOO, Dec. 25.—Word has been
received here that Rockwell, one of
the men implicated with the two
Swartzes in the Johnson murder case
in St. Joseph county, has made a
confession. Rockwell was the hired
man for the Swartzes. It is said
he tells a story to the effect
that he was compelled to fire a bul-
let into Johnson's body by the two
Swartzes, who threatened to kill him
if he did not do so. He says that Dell
Swartz fired two bullets into Johnson's
body, Dell's brother one, and that he
fired one himself with his own re-
volver. Johnson mysteriously disap-
peared, and a few days later his body
was found floating in the St. Joseph
river about 8 miles from where Rock-
well says the murder took place. Rock-
well and the Swartzes are being held
for trial in the circuit court.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Plans for the Opening of the Coming
Session.

LANSING, Dec. 25.—The programme
for the first week in January is about
complete. As previously published, all
the state officers will be inaugurated
Tuesday afternoon. In the evening
there will be the legislative caucuses,
and Wednesday noon both
houses will be called to order. Gov.
Rich and state officers will give a re-
ception the following night. The
message will be delivered Thursday
afternoon. Both short term and long
term senatorial caucuses will probably
be held Thursday night, though the
short term caucus may be postponed
till Friday.

OPPOSED TO SECRET SOCIETIES

Holland Reformed Church at Grand Rap-
ids Will Take Action.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 26.—The Hol-
land Reformed church is opposed to
secret societies of all kinds, and
this fact is likely to place many
young Hollanders in this city in a
position to necessitate a choice be-
tween the church and the society.
One lodge of Maccabees is made up al-
most entirely of Hollanders, and
among the Knights of Pythias also
there are many of them. The church
has thus far not taken cognizance of
the departure from the rules, but it is
understood that affairs will soon come
to a focus.

HELD FOR TRIAL.

Michigan's Former Deputy Secretary of
State Accused of Embezzlement.

LANSING, Dec. 25.—The examination
of August W. Lindholm, ex-deputy
secretary of state, on a charge of em-
bezzling state funds was completed
Saturday. It was shown that in
March last he was given a draft for
\$890 by E. C. Chapin, of this city, and
the money was placed to his personal
credit and never accounted for to the
state. Lindholm was bound over to
the circuit court for trial in bonds of
\$3,000.

Suit Over Union Label.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 25.—The In-
ternational Cigarmakers' union, through
Loren F. Anderson, has begun suit in
the superior court against William C.
Barry, a wholesale tobacconist, to re-
strain him from using the union label
on nonunion-made goods. The case
is of interest and importance, as it
will be taken to the supreme court,
and the merits of the union label will
be judiciously pronounced upon.

To Develop Michigan Land.

LA PORTE, Ind., Dec. 23.—The Lac
Belle company has been formed here
to develop 100,000 acres of hardwood
timber and agricultural land on the
northern peninsula of Michigan. The
officers are: E. H. Scott, president; W.
A. Martin, vice president; R. E. Morri-
son, secretary and treasurer; and they
with E. F. Michael and A. M. Ogle,
directors. The capital paid in is \$370,
000.

To Explore Hudson's Bay Wilds.

ALBION, Dec. 22.—Prof. Delos Fall
and R. Clyde Ford, of Albion college,
will lead a party of students into the
wilds of the Hudson bay territory
next summer. The unexplored terri-
tory north of Lake Nipigon and south
and west of Hudson's bay will be visit-
ed, and a careful study of the country
and its flora and fauna will be made.

Farmer Found Murdered.

KALAMAZOO, Dec. 23.—Jonathan
Crumbaker, a farmer living on the
Mottville road, 2 miles from Bris-
tol, St. Joseph county, was found
by his son dead in the road 1 mile
from his home Thursday night. He
undoubtedly had been murdered, as a
club bespattered with blood was found
near by the body and his pockets were
rifled.

Wants the Wisconsin Central to Pay.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—Attorney General
Ellis has commenced suit against the
Wisconsin Central railway which op-
erates between Beaver and Ironwood.
In this state, to recover \$6,000 specific
tax assessed against it in 1900. The
auditor general has made several
fruitless attempts to collect, hence the
suit.

Christian Socialism.

"The Church and the Workingman,"
was the topic on which the Rev. Dr.
Herron of Iowa spoke Sunday after-
noon in one of the D. & O. churches to
a large audience.

It was scarcely any longer denied,
said the speaker, that there is a social
problem. This was denied quite gen-
erally only a short time ago, but was
now generally admitted.

This problem was the adjustment of
men to each other, so there would be
harmony in all social movements.
Men are now waking to a conscious-
ness that they were made to live in
common; that it is not a right order
of life where men must struggle and
contend against each other in order to
secure a fair share of God's bounty.
They are waking to the fact that in-
justice exists, and there is a con-
stantly growing demand for justice in
the relations of men.

The idea of individual liberty, when un-
consecrated, may become anarchy on
one side and despotism on the other.
We have made a passion for rights er-
roneously a plea for liberty. The end
of life is not liberty. The mistaken
idea of what constitutes liberty is
what has given rise to the social
problem of today.

The average wage of the American
workingmen today is but \$800 a year.
The \$200,000,000 worth of property
in this country, the richest nation on
the globe, will not avail to prevent
one part of our population from suf-
fering during the coming winter.
Where conditions are such that half a
dozen men can get together and by
their edict turn thousands from plenty
to poverty, it is time to consider the
social problem.

When so few can deprive so many of
their daily bread, while they devote
their vast wealth to building costly
palaces in foreign lands, it is time to
consider what can be done to correct
such a state of things.

Jesus Christ came to bring God
within moral comprehension, and it
was within the revelations made by
Him that evil of all kinds is to be
corrected.

There is no way out of this social
condition except by the adoption of
the law of sacrifice. We must deny
ourselves, as Christ tells us, for he
that would save his life would lose it.
But those who must lose their lives
for his sake shall save them.

The church has been preaching re-
ligiousness instead of righteousness,
and while this has been done, the aw-
ful fact appears that the men who are
the great industrial oppressors are in
the church, and to a large extent are
managing the church.

Because we have been mistaking re-
ligiousness for righteousness we have
mistaken respectability for christian-
ity. Do you know that the men who
crucified Jesus were the most religious
of their time? It wasn't the disrepu-
table, but the respectable class who
crucified Him. And it was Jesus who
said the greatest of all sins was relig-
ious selfishness.

There was a question as to whether
the church of today does not occupy
an attitude opposed to Christ. It is
charged that the church is in the
hands of those who are religiously sel-
fish, while the great mass of the work-
ingmen, are alienated from it.

The workingmen will never come to
a church that does not in some way
incarnate the life and principles of
Jesus Christ. Is there a power in the
life and teachings of Jesus Christ
which will establish social justice? I
believe there is. Let the church call
men to sacrifice. I believe that the
church must stand for what Jesus
stood; take the attitude that Jesus
took among men, willing to be despised
of men for the truth's sake, and
there will be a new dispensation.

A great change is coming in the
world. Whether we want it or not,
the social revolution is here. Either
the church of Jesus Christ must be-
come the great leader of labor, and
lead it into the peace of Christ; or
stand aloft and permit anarchy to lead
to ruin. When the church becomes
incarnate with Christ, and takes its
place at the head of the great social
movement, then the workingmen will
believe in the church, and thus the
people and the church itself will both
be saved by the establishment of the
kingdom of God on earth.

Boss Filled Cases with Elgin Move-
ments, cheaper than ever, at
Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

Serofula

Miss Della Stevens, of Boston, Mass.,
writes: I have always suffered from
hereditary Scrofula, for which I tried
various remedies, and many reliable
physicians, but none relieved me. After
taking 3 bottles of
I am now well.
I am very grateful
to you, as I feel
that it saved me
from a life of misery and pain, and
take pleasure in speaking only words
of praise for the wonderful medicine,
and in recommending it to all.

Treatise on Blood
and Skin Diseases
mailed free.
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SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY,
ATLANTA, GA.

You can save
six cents a can by using the
new **Horsford's Baking
Powder**, because it requires
less quantity than any other.

Sealed Proposals.

Sealed proposals will be received by
the Common Council of the City of
Holland, Michigan, until 7 o'clock p.
m., Wednesday, January 2nd, 1895, for
the sale to said city of one acre of
gravel.

The Common Council reserves the
right to reject any and all bids.
By order of the Common Council.
Geo. H. SIFF, City Clerk.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 20, 1894. —2w

For choice and first-class perfumes
go to

J. O. DOESBURG.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the
County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the
City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Thurs-
day, the Twentieth day of December, in the year
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of
Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Anton
Steffes, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,
of James Brandt, administrator of the es-
tate of said deceased, praying for the examina-
tion and allowance of his final account as such
administrator, that he may be discharged
from his trust, have his bond cancelled and
said estate closed:

Thereupon it is Ordered, That Monday, the

Twenty-first day of January next,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for
the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at
law of said deceased, and all other persons inter-
ested in said estate are required to appear at a
session of said Court, then to be holden at the
Probate Office, in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county, and show cause, if any there be, why
the prayer of the petitioner should not be grant-
ed: And it is further Ordered, That said peti-
tioner give notice to the persons interested in
said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and
the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this or-
der to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS
a newspaper printed and circulated in said coun-
ty of Ottawa for three successive weeks previous
to said day of hearing.

(A true copy. Attest.)
JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

MINNIE P. GOODRICH, Probate Clerk.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

At a session of the Probate Court for the Coun-
ty of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the
City of Grand Haven, in said county, on Mon-
day, the Tenth day of December, in the year
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

Present, JOHN V. B. GOODRICH, Judge of
Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Van Put-
ten, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,
of Jannetje Van Putten, widow and sole legatee
named in the will of said deceased, praying for
the probate of an instrument in writing filed in
this court purporting to be the last will and tes-
tament of said deceased, and for the appoint-
ment of herself as executrix thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, That Thursday, the

Tenth day of January next,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for
the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs
at law of said deceased, and all other persons in-
terested in said estate, are required to appear at
a session of said Court, then to be holden at the
Probate Office in the City of Grand Haven, in
said county, and show cause, if any there be,
why the prayer of the petitioner should not be
granted: And it is further Ordered, That said
petitioner give notice to the persons interested
in said estate, of the pendency of said petition,
and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of
this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY
NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said
county of Ottawa for three successive weeks
previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy. Attest.)

JOHN V. B. GOODRICH,
Judge of Probate.

MINNIE P. GOODRICH, Probate Clerk.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE
conditions of payment of a certain mort-
gage made by Abner M. Niskanen and Aakre
Niskanen, to Thomas Box, dated March 28, A. D.
1888, and recorded in the office of the Register of
Deeds for the County of Ottawa, and State of
Michigan, on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1888, in
book 26 of mortgages on page 689; (on which mort-
gage there is claimed to be due at the time of
this notice the sum of five hundred and fifteen
dollars and seventy-two cents, besides an
attorney fee of twenty-five dollars provided for
by law and in said mortgage and no suit or pro-
ceedings having been instituted at law or in equity
to recover the money secured by said mort-
gage or any part of it; now therefore
by virtue of the power of sale contained in said
mortgage, and the statute in such case made and
provided, notice is hereby given that on

Monday, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1895,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at pub-
lic auction, to the highest bidder, at the north
front door of the Court House in the City of
Grand Haven, Ottawa County, (that being the
place where the Circuit Court for Ottawa County
is holden), the premises described in said mort-
gage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to
pay the amount due on said mortgage, with seven
per cent. interest, and all legal costs, together
with an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars,
accrued for therein, the premises being de-
scribed in said mortgage as all that certain lot,
piece, and parcel of land, situated in the
township of Olive, County of Ottawa and State
of Michigan, and known and described as fol-
lows: All of the north west quarter of the south
east quarter of section twenty (20), town six (6)
north of range fifteen (15) west, containing in all
forty acres of land, be the same more or less.

Dated November 4, A. D. 1894.
ARTHUR VINCHER, THOMAS BOX,
Attorney for Mortgagee, Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE
conditions of payment of a certain mort-
gage made and executed by Berend Riddema and
Berendina Riddema, his wife of the township of
Olive, county of Ottawa and state of Michigan,
parties of the first part to Gillie Wabeke, of the
township of Zealand in said county and state,
party of the second part, dated
the 7th day of April, A. D. 1892, and rec-
orded in the office of the register of Deeds, of Otta-
wa county, Michigan, on the 11th day of April,
A. D. 1892, in book 45 of mortgages, on page
109, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due
at the time of this notice the sum of One Thousand
and Four Hundred Fifty-three dollars and
Ninety-five cents (\$1,453.95) besides an
attorney fee of twenty-five dollars,
provided for by law and in said mortgage,
and no suit or proceedings having been instituted
at law or in equity, to recover the debt ac-
crued by said mortgage, or any part of it, and
the whole of the principal sum of said
mortgage together with all arrears of interest
thereon, having become due and
payable by reason of default in the payment of
interest on said mortgage on the day when the
same became due and payable, and the non-
payment of said interest in default for more
than thirty days after the same became due and
payable, wherefore under the conditions of said
mortgage the whole amount of said principal
sum of said mortgage with all arrears of in-
terest thereon, at the option of the said Gillie
Wabeke, become due and payable immediately
thereafter, and the said Gillie Wabeke hereby de-
clares his election and option to consider the
whole amount of the said principal
sum of said mortgage due and payable. Notice,
is therefore hereby given, that by virtue of the
power of sale in said mortgage contained, and
the statute in such case made and pro-
vided, said mortgage will be foreclosed
by sale, at public vendue of the mort-
gaged premises, or so much thereof as may be
necessary to pay the amount due on said mort-
gage with interest and costs of foreclosure and
sale including an attorney fee of twenty-five dol-
lars; said sale to take place at the north door of
the Ottawa county court house, at the city of
Grand Haven, Ottawa county, Michigan, (that
being the place where the circuit court for the
County of Ottawa is holden), on

Monday, the 28th day of February, A. D. 1895,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon; of said day the said
mortgaged premises to be sold being described in
said mortgage as all that certain piece or
parcel of land situated and being in the town-
ship of Olive, county of Ottawa, and state of
Michigan, as; the south one half (1/2) of the
south west quarter (s.w. 1/4) of section thirteen
(13), in township six (6), north of range fifteen (15)
west, and containing eighty acres of land, more
or less, according to the government survey there-
of.

Dated Holland, November 30th, A. D. 1894.

GEORGE J. PIER

M. NOTIER,

Thanks all his customers for their kind patronage and wishes them and everybody a happy and prosperous New Year; and to help make it prosperous will sell goods cheaper than they were ever sold before.

BOSMAN BROS.,

**Tailors
and Clothiers.**

Latest Styles. Good Fits.

"A Happy New Year."

Kanters Bros.

C. A. STEVENSON,

Jeweler.

Holland, Mich.

G. J. VAN DUREN,

— DEALER IN —

FOOTWEAR.

The one thing we always try and do is to give our patrons a good fitting shoe.

Dr. F. M. Gillespie,

Dentist.

Holland, Mich.

We Wholesale and Retail

OYSTERS.

C. BLOM, Jr.

Thanking our Customers

For their liberal patronage during the Holiday Season we now invite your attention to our large line of BLANK BOOKS, Bill and Letter Files and Diaries. We carry everything belonging to a first class stationary store.

M. KIEKINTVELD.

A Happy New Year

To every citizen of Holland. Thanking you for past favors I will for the future promise you the best efforts of my skill, either in restoring to health what through disease has become useless, or by substituting for your imperfect set of teeth one of those natural looking artificial sets.

Dr. A. Lambert.

Will Botsford & Co.

— DEALERS IN —

Staple and Fancy Groceries.

New City Hotel Block, HOLLAND.

MEYER & SON,

—Dealers in—

Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines.

Same also For Rent.

A Happy New Year

to the Citizens of Holland.

H. Wykhuysen,

"The Jeweler."

H. Van Tongeren,

— Manufacturer of —

High Grade Cigars.

— And Dealer In —

Tobacco, Pipes, Clippings, Etc.

The Largest and Finest

Stock of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Chinese Goods, etc., ever displayed in this county. Prices to suit everybody.

Paul Steketee.

R. Van Zwaluwenburg

"The Market Street Grocer,"

Wishes to thank his patrons for past favors and wishes them

"A Happy New Year."

ALFRED HUNTLEY,

Engineer and Machinist.

Manufacturer of Marine Engines. Repairing of all kinds of Machinery a specialty.

Corner 7th and River St.,
HOLLAND, MICH.

Heap on more wood, the wind is chill.
But let it whistle as it will,
For C. L. STRENG & SON are with
you still. — Scott.

Wishing you a Happy New Year.

W. D. Hopkins,

Photographer.

W. G. VAN DYKE.

Desires to thank his friends for their kind patronage during the past year and, wishing them a Happy New Year, announces that he is still to be found at his old stand, selling first-class groceries at cheap prices.

Go to

O. BREYMAN,

"The Leading Jeweler"

And get your eyes tested. At the same time look over his fine line of Jewelry.

Within my windows may be seen,
Streaks of fat and streaks of lean;
For roast or stew, for broil or fry,
Just what you need I will supply.
JAC. KUIJTE, JR., Prop.
Economy Market, Eighth St.

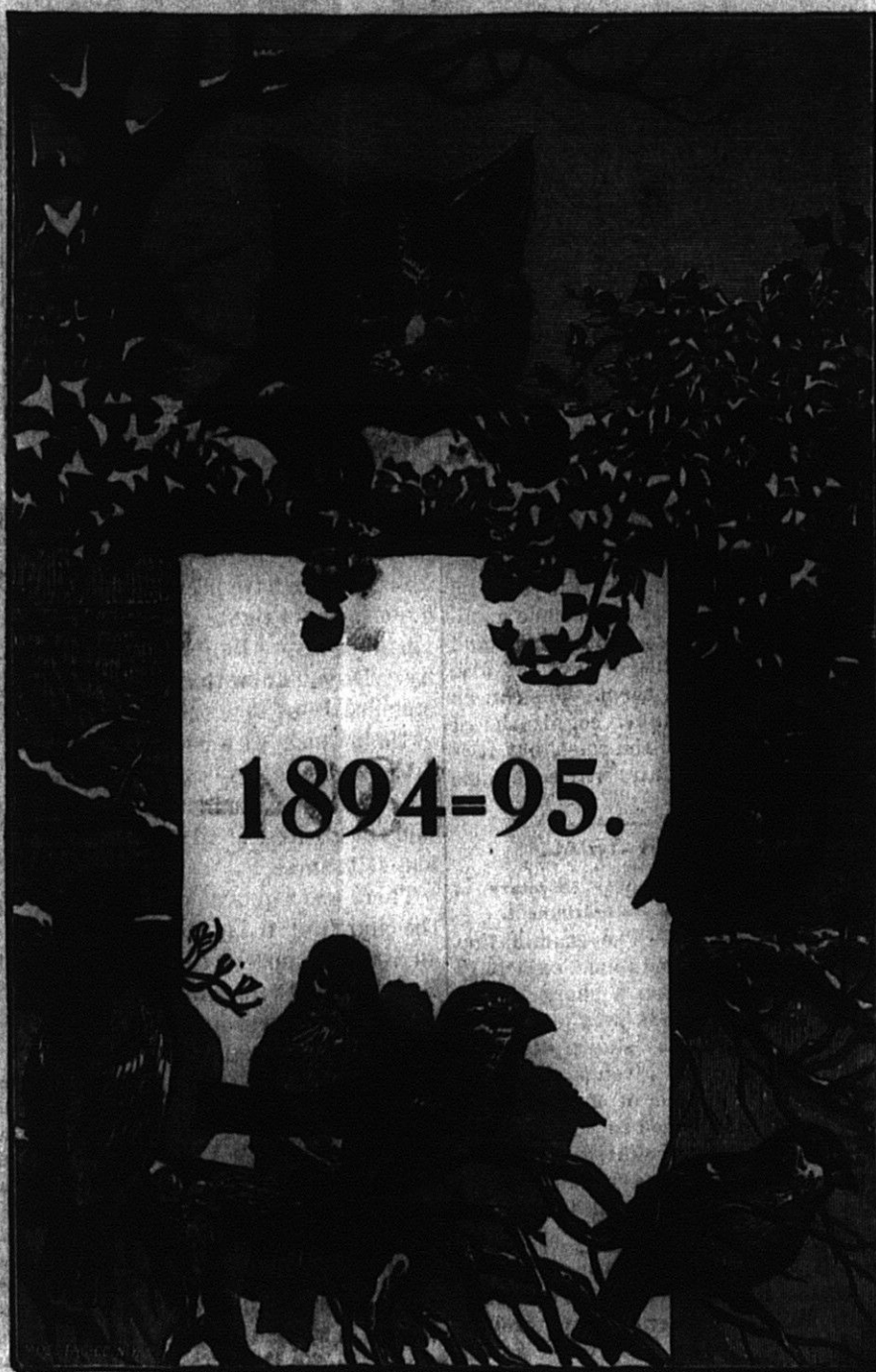
The Old and The New Year.

1 Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light:
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

2 Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring, happy bells, across the snow:
The year is going, let him go;
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

3 Ring out the grief that saps the mind,
For those that here we see no more;
Ring out the feud of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind.

4 Ring out a slowly dying cause,
And ancient forms of party strife;
Ring in the nobler modes of life,
With sweeter manners, purer laws.



5 Ring out the want, the care, the sin,
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out my mournful rhymes,
But ring the fuller minstrel in.

6 Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.

7 Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lust of gold;
Ring out the thousand wars of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.

8 Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

— Alfred Tennyson.

JOHN H. RAVEN

Wishes his patrons A Happy New Year and desires to announce that he is still doing business at the old stand.

J. O. Doesburg,

— DEALER IN —

Drugs, Perfumes, Cigars and Patent Medicines.

H. R. BRINK.

The New Hardware Man,

Wishes his Patrons

A Happy New Year.

Beef, mutton, veal and lamb,
Poultry, pork and mildest ham,
Best and cheapest on the street,
For those who have to make ends meet.
My reputation is at "steak,"
And thus a living I would make.

WM. VAN DER VEERE,

CITY MEAT MARKET,

1st Ward, HOLLAND.

J. A. Brouwer

Desires to thank his patrons for the liberal Holiday Trade, and is still selling Furniture, etc., at exceedingly low prices.

Martin & Hulzinga,

The popular Druggists, desire to announce that they are better prepared than ever to fill all orders for Drugs, Books, Cigars, Patent Medicines, etc.

The First State Bank

Commercial and Savings Department.

Transacts a General Banking Business. Domestic and Foreign Exchange sold. 4 per cent interest paid on time deposits.

J. CAPRON, President.

G. W. MORRIS, Cashier.

Benjamins Sisters

Desire to thank their customers for their liberal patronage the past year, and wish them all A Happy New Year.

Smoke the K. S. J. Cigar,

MANUFACTURED BY

H. E. Brink & Co.